

## FINAL ELECTRICITY TARIFF INCREASES

**EFFECTIVE DATE: 1 JULY 2010**

The National Energy Regulator of South Africa (NERSA) has allowed Eskom an average tariff increase of 24.8 % effective 01 April 2010. This translates to a nominal increase of 28.9% to municipalities effective 01 July 2010. In line with this, eThekweni Electricity has implemented an average tariff increase of 25%. A summary of the increases pertaining to the specific tariffs is highlighted below. Please take note that these tariff increases have been reviewed and approved by the National Energy Regulator of South Africa.

### Tariff Increases

(ALL PRICES EXCLUDE VAT)

Description	Tariff	Increase	Amount
Residential customers	Scale 3, 4, 8, 9	23% Energy Charge	79.08 (c/kWh)
Free Basic Electricity (Scale 12)	Free Basic Electricity customers will continue to receive 65 units free per month. Energy purchased thereafter will be subject to a 11.5% increase.	11.5% Energy Charge	65.33 (c/kWh)
Business and General	Scale 10, 11	26% Energy Charge	93.58 (c/kWh)
	Scale 1	26% Energy Charge Service Charge	84.29 (c/kWh) 129.10 (R/month)
Commercial TOU	CTOU	26%	
Residential TOU	RTOU	23%	
Industrial TOU	ITOU	26%	

**Note:** RTOU - The implementation of this tariff is dependant on the availability of suitable metering technology

### Obsolete Tariffs

The LV3-Part and Scale 2 tariffs are obsolete and will attract higher than average increases. Customers are urged to study their load profiles and investigate the possibility of migrating to alternate tariffs.

Description	Tariff	Increase
Business and General	Scale 2 (002/021)	30%
Low Voltage 3 Part	LV3-Part	30%

A full breakdown of the tariffs is available at <http://www.durban.gov.za/durban/services/electricity/tariffs>

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Industrial Time of Use		Amount
Peak	HIGH DEMAND SEASON JUNE - AUGUST	143.64 (c/kWh)
Standard		41.92 (c/kWh)
Off peak		25.00 (c/kWh)
Peak	LOW DEMAND SEASON SEPTEMBER - MAY	45.88 (c/kWh)
Standard		29.32 (c/kWh)
Off peak		22.40 (c/kWh)
Network Demand Charge (Based on Actual Demand)		50.00 (R/kVA)
Network Access Charge (Based on Notified Max Demand)		15.00 (R/kVA)
Service Charge		1 860 (R/month)
Voltage Surcharge		<b>Voltage</b> <b>%Surcharge</b>
		275kV              0
		132kV             2.25
		33kV                3
		11kV                10.5
		6.6kV               12.75
		400V                22.5

Voltage Surcharge:

To be raised on the sum of Energy, Network Demand Charge and Network Access Charge.

Note: Customers increase will vary depending on their individual load profiles.

### Schedule of Connection Fees and Charges

The schedule of connection fees and charges are reviewed annually and will be increasing as of 01 July 2010. All customers are urged to track the status of their applications as only those applications costed and paid for prior to **01 July 2010 will qualify for the existing fees and charges.**

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